

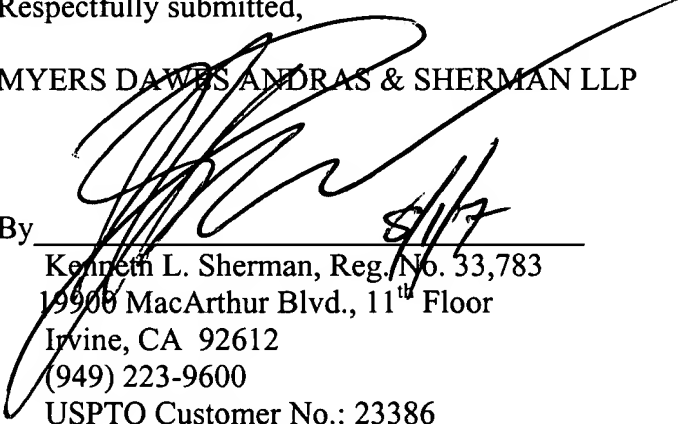
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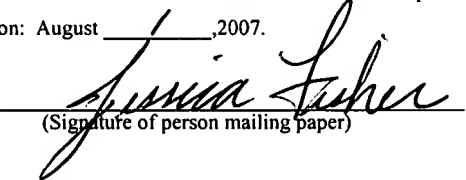
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In re application of:)	Examiner: Tran, Mylinh T.
HUMPLEMAN <i>et al.</i>)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2179
For: DEVICE DISCOVERY AND CONTROL)	
IN A BRIDGED HOME NETWORK)	Reply to Final Office Action
)	dated June 1, 2007
Application No.: 09/592,596)	
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Filed: June 12, 2000)	
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REPLY IN RESPONSE TO JUNE 1, 2007 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the final Office Action of June 1, 2007, in the above-referenced patent application. Reconsideration and allowance of the patent application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please charge any deficit or credit any surplus to our Deposit Account No. 01-1960. A duplicate copy of this page is enclosed for this purpose.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.